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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] <u> TSUKAMOTO ANN</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>STEMCELLS INC</u> [STEM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner
(Last) (First) (Mide C/O STEMCELLS, INC. 7707 GATEWAY BLVD, STE 140		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2012	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) EVP, Research and Development
(Street) NEWARK (City)	CA (State)	94560 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150. 4)
Common Stock	06/01/2012		F ⁽¹⁾		10,892	D	\$0.68	185,209 ⁽²⁾	D	
Common Stock								3,643	Ι	family trust ⁽³⁾
Common Stock								11,792	Ι	By 401(k) Plan ⁽⁴⁾

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)		of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. This is recorded as a Code F disposition because the shares were used by the reporting person to pay a tax liability incurred by her from the delivery of shares incident to the vesting of restricted stock units. 2. Includes (1) 130,000 restricted stock units, with 43,333 vesting on each of January 27, 2013, January 27, 2014 and January 27, 2015; (2) 23,333 restricted stock units vesting on June 1, 2013; and (2) 2,333 restricted stock units vesting on May 15, 2013.

3. 3,643 shares held in trust as to which Dr. Tsukamoto disclaims beneficial ownership.

4. Shares held in 401(k) account in accordance with issuer's employer-match policies.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ Ken Stratton, attorney-in-</u> fact

06/04/2012

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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